

Re: Patty Murray Congressional Update



09/10/2007 01:05 PM

Marie Jennings to: Lori Cohen Cc: Rod Lobos, Scott Downey

This message has been replied to.

Hi Lori

Thanks for the follow-up. You all are welcome to use my incomplete draft or you can just delete. Sometimes it's helpful to see how someone else might start a letter. I called Danielle in Patty Murray's office at 509-624-9515 and she left me a message regarding additional correspondence. I recall reading a letter from Ecology I think offering to put him on some alternate water source. Perhaps you all can follow-up on this. We would definitely want to include this info in the letter because it shows that we are being responsive. Thanks again for your support and follow-up! (Rod I was thinking that you could call her and see if she could fax you copies of any correspondence from Ecology. I will now get out of the middle.)



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To Marie Jennings/R10/USEPA/US@EPA

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Subject Re: Patty Murray Congressional Update

Hi Marie - This congressional referred to the Pasco Sanitary Landfill, a Superfund site that is currently managed by the state. Rod Lobos, in our Hanford Project Office, now manages the site and will draft a response to the letter. If you get the letters from Murray's office, pls. let us know.

Thank you.

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To Lori Cohen/R10/USEPA/US@EPA, Scott Downey/R10/USEPA/US@EPA

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Hi Lori & Scott

Scott you are off the hook for this one. After carefully reading the congressional and drafting a response, its clear that Mr. Reisinger's daughter is concerned with contaminated groundwater being used to irrigate/water crops and not pesticides. So I will not mention the Pesticide program. On the other hand, the letter does talk about the Pasco Sanitary landfill as a source of grounwater contamination. Is this a superfund site?

So Lori, I remember reading some correspondence that I thought was attached to this congression from the Department of Ecology where they proposed to put this person on the public water system, etc. Are you aware of actions taken by EPA or Ecology re: this landfill? I have left a call with the contact person in Patty Murray's office to see if I can get copies of those letters because they will greatly help my draft response.

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